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1. IN RESPONSE TO REF A, WE AGREE TO LUNS' PROPOSAL THAT SACEUR SHOULD TAKE THE LEAD IN PREPARATION OF THE C3 INPUT FOR THE LONG-TERM DEFENSE PROGRAM. ACCORDINGLY, NO CHANGE TO PO/77/86 IS REQUIRED ON THIS POINT.

2. IN SUPPORT OF SECDEF'S INITIATIVE TAKEN AT THE MAY 16-17 MINISTERIAL, AGENDA ITEM IVC, WE FAVOR APPROACH OUTLINED REF B. THIS ISSUE INVOLVES POSSIBLE REDIR-ECTION OF ONGOING TACTICAL COMMUNICATIONS PROGRAMS TO ACHIEVE EARLIER COMMONALITY/INTEROPERABILITY OF SYSTEMS.
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IT DOES NOT TAKE INTO CONSIDERATION COMMAND AND CONTROL (C2) OR LONG-HAUL COMMUNICATIONS, ALL PARTS OF THE C3 ISSUE FOR THE LONG-TERM PROGRAM. THE LATTER EFFORT MUST ENCOMPASS BOTH STRATEGIC AND TACTICAL C3. OF COURSE, IF REDIRECTION PROPOSED BY THE SECDEF PROVES TO BE SUCCESSFUL, ITS OUTPUT SHOULD BE AN INPUT TO THE C3 LONG-TERM DEFENSE PROGRAM ISSUE.

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